

N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: KURODA, Daisuke, et al.

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For. MEDICAL DEVICE FOR LIVING SOFT TISSUE AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION OF SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: March 2, 2010

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2009, for one month, from February 2, 2010, to March 2, 2010.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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